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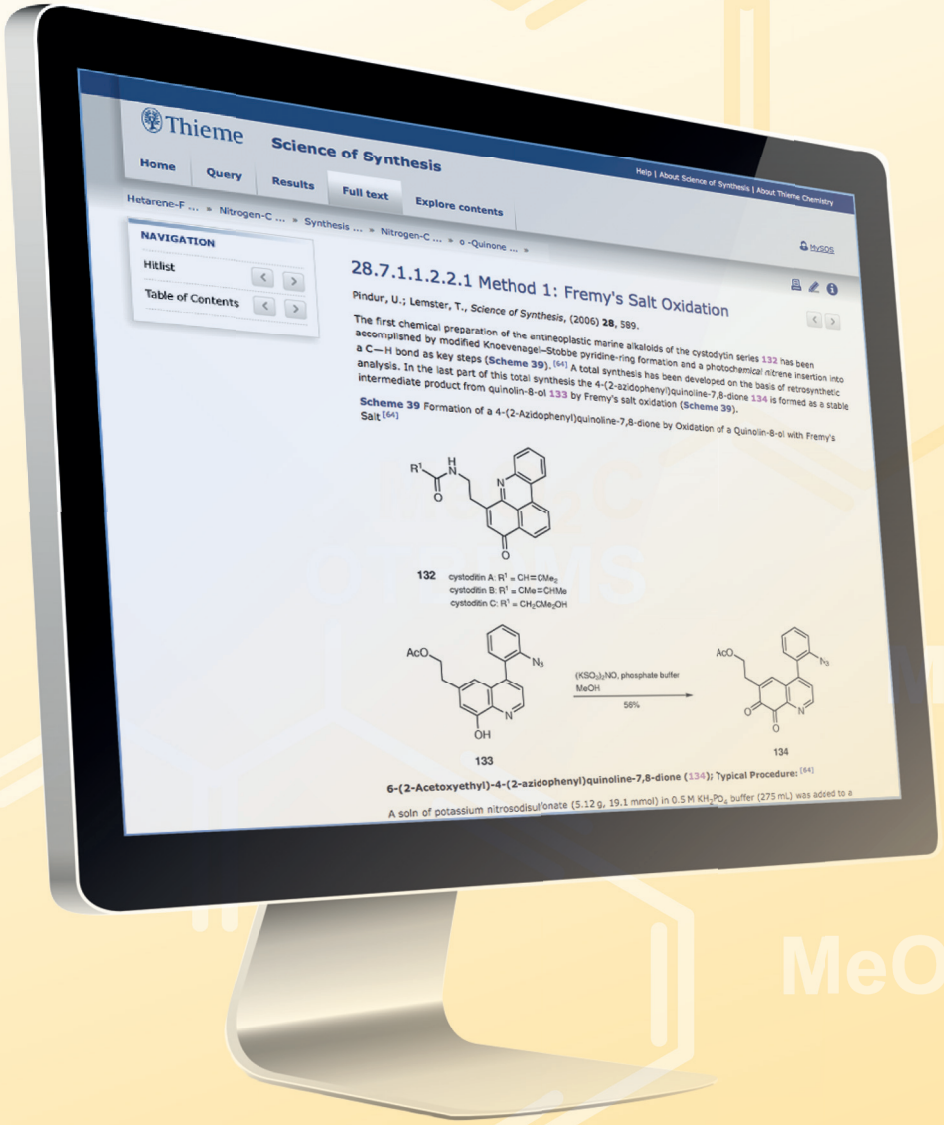

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Article Search – Query Tab | Year | Volume

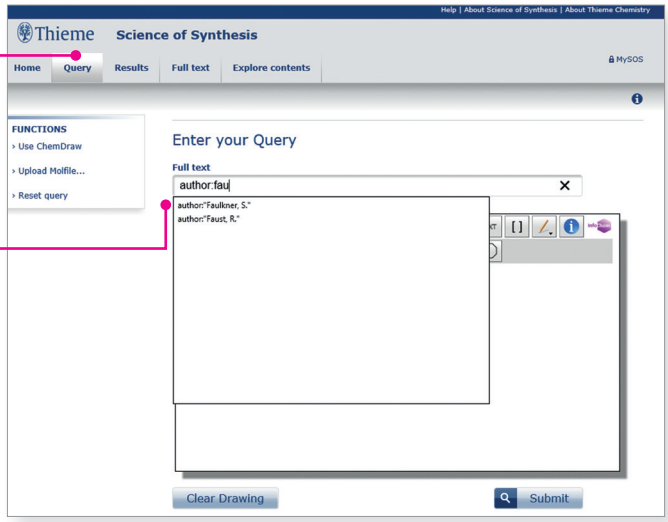
A. Search within the 48 Science of Synthesis Volumes for an SOS Article

Example Reference to SOS;
By Faulkner, S.; Whitehead, R.C.; Aarons, R. J.
From Science of Synthesis (2003), **14,** 771-786.

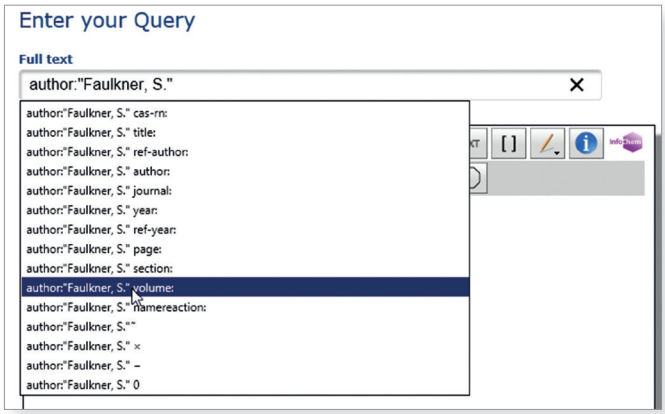
1. Choose the **Query Tab** and go to the text search field. Do a search for the author by typing in **author:** Then type in the author's surname e.g. Faulkner.

HINT: Please do not insert a space after the colon when using a search operator – otherwise no suggestion list will appear!

Choose the Faulkner entry from the drop down menu.

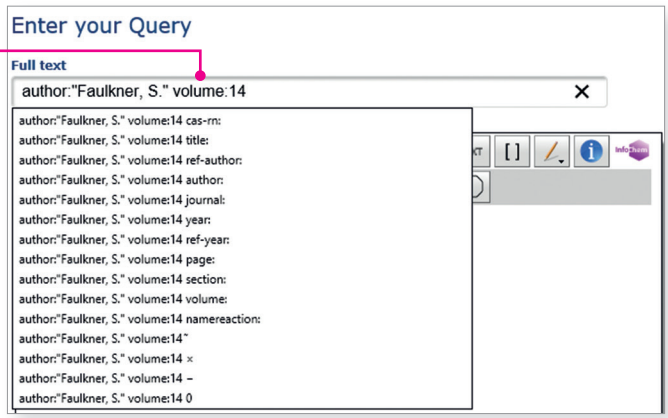


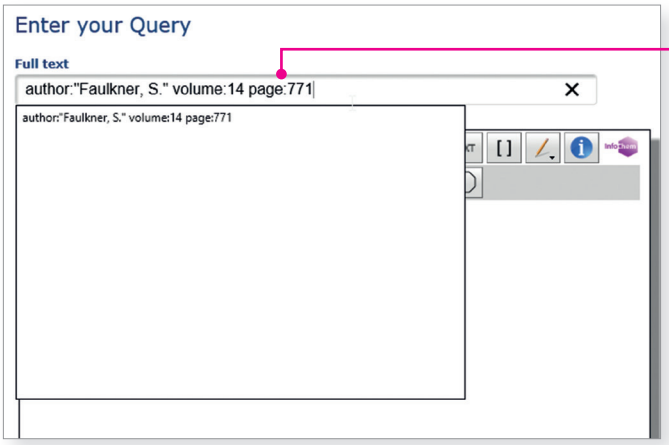
2. Now press **SPACE.** You will see a list of possible combination options in the suggestion list.



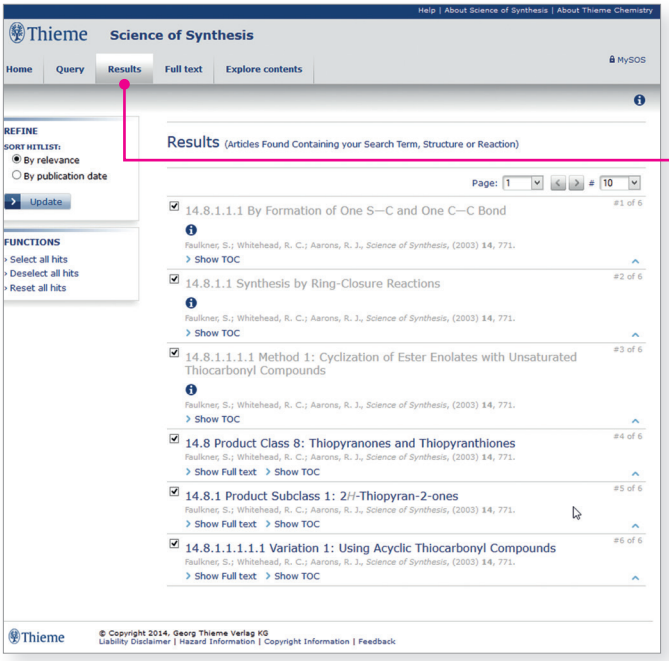
3. Choose **volume:** and type in the volume number, in this case 14.

4. Press **SPACE** again to see the list of possible combinations.





5. Choose **page:** and enter the page number, in this case 771.



6. Click on the **Submit** button to carry out the search.

7. A list of hits appear on the **Results** page all related to the article concerned. Select **Product Class 8: Thiopyranones and Thiopyranthiones** to go directly to the full text review.

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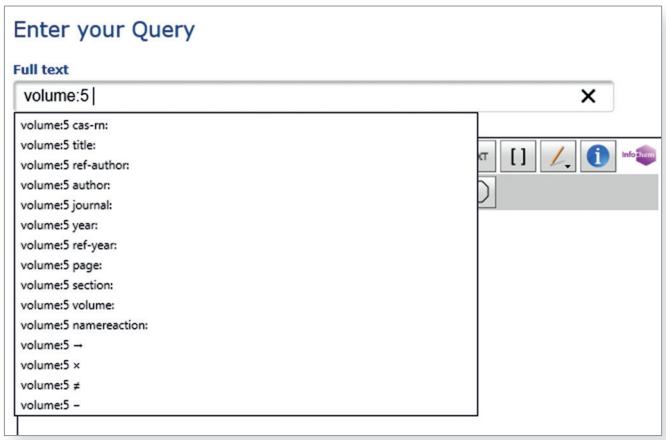
This type of search could also be limited to the volume number and page number if necessary.
For example, in a search for: Guiry, P. J.; McCormack, P. J., *Science of Synthesis*, (2003) **5**, 703.

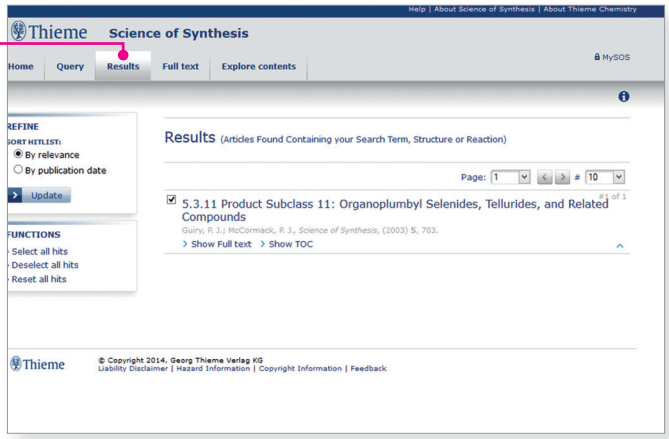
1. Go to the **Query tab** and type in the search operator **volume:** followed by the volume number, in this case 5.

2. Press the **SPACE** button and a list of possible combination operators appear.



3. Choose **page:** and type in the relevant page number, in this case 703.

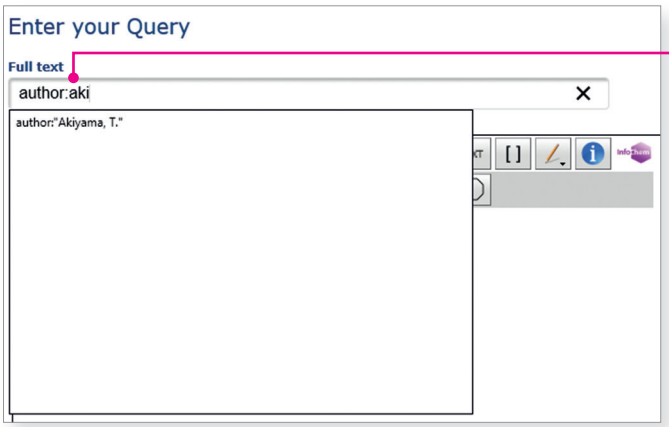
4. Press the **Submit** button to carry out the search and the article appears on the **Results** page.



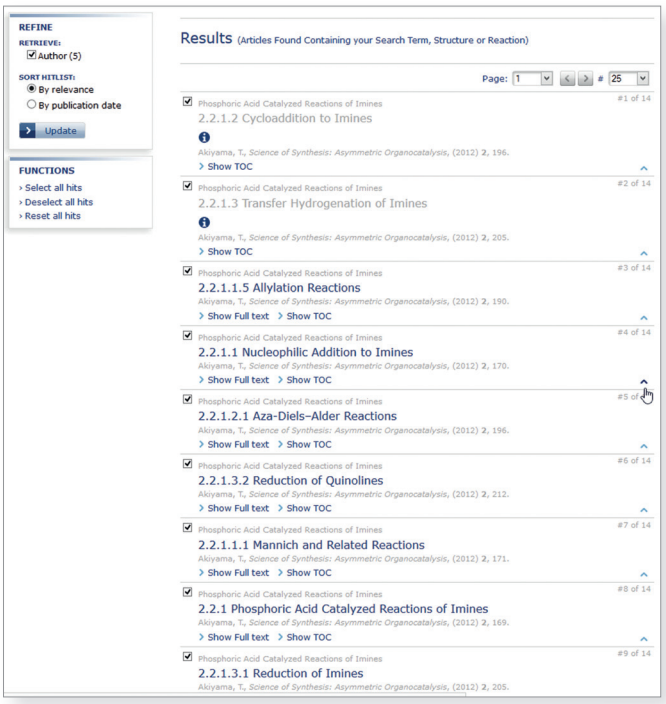
B. Search within the Science of Synthesis Reference Library and Update Volumes for an SOS Article

The Reference Library and Update volumes are additional to the 48 original Science of Synthesis volumes so it is better to search for articles within these volumes by using other operators *(HINT: The **volume:** operator is only relevant to the original 48 SOS volumes. Do not use it in a search for the Reference Library or Update volumes).*

For example, if you were searching for the following article:
Akiyama, T., *Science of Synthesis: Asymmetric Organocatalysis,* (2012) **2,** 177



1. In many cases a simple search for the author will suffice using the **author:** operator e.g.



2. This gives a list of relevant results on the **Results** page.

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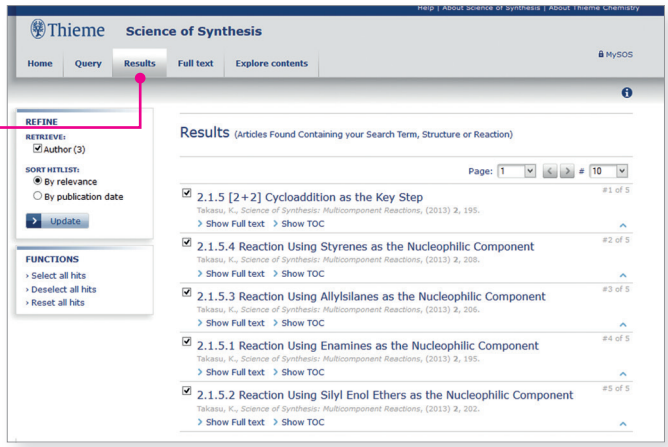
Another example would be to use a combination of the **year: and author:** operators. Taking the reference to the following article as an example: Takasu, K., *Science of Synthesis: Multicomponent Reactions*, (2013) **2,** 195.

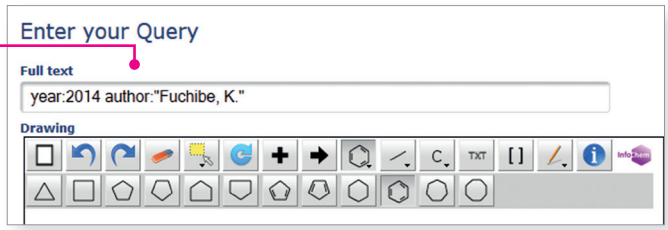
1. Type in **year:2013** and press **SPACE.**
2. Choose the **author:** operator to combine with the **year:** operator.
3. Type in the author name and select it.

4. Press **Submit** to carry out the search.
5. The relevant article is displayed on the **Results** page. Click through to the full text.



Finally, an example from the Science of Synthesis Updates series:
Fuchibe, K.; Ichikawa, J., *Science of Synthesis Knowledge Updates*, (2014) **2,** 217.

1. Choose the Query tab and type the **year:** operator in the text search field. Type 2014.
2. Press the **SPACE** button.
3. Choose the **author:** operator from the drop down list and type the author name in the text box.
4. Press **Submit** to carry out the search.



5. The relevant article and sections are displayed on the **Results** page.